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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. 121

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Restriction Requirement and Request for Election dated May 13, 2002, setting a one (1) month term for response. Prior to examination of the application, please amend the specification and claims of the above-identified application as listed below.

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the first paragraph on page 1 with the following rewritten paragraph:

This application is a divisional application of U.S. application Serial Number 09/240,359 filed January 29, 1999, issued on July 3, 2001, as U.S. Patent No. 6,255,456, entitled CYCLIC GMP PHOSPHODIESTERASE, which is a divisional application of U.S. application Serial Number 08/987,466 filed December 9, 1997, issued on July 13, 1999, as U.S. Patent No. 5,922,595, entitled CYCLIC GMP PHOSPNODIESTERASE, the contents of all which hereby incorporated by reference.

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